**PARENT–PARTICIPATION PROGRAMS**

**COME... WITH ME!**
Come... With Me! (YMCA of Honolulu) is a demonstration pilot of the Y of USA’s efforts to develop an early learning readiness program model that outreachs to pre-school age children who are cared for at home by a family, friend or neighbor caregiver.

**Website:** www.ymcahonolulu.org/youth-programs/prechool/come-with-me

**Email:** dbangary@ymcahonolulu.org

**O‘ahu:** (808) 341-5470

**KA‘AALANA**
The Ka‘a‘alan Homeless Family Education Program (Partners in Development) serves homeless and at-risk families on the Leeward Coast of O‘ahu and in Hilo.

**Website:** www.pid.org/programs/ka_paulana/about

**Email:** pid@pidfoundation.org

**O‘ahu:** (808) 396-8771

**Hilo:** (808) 954-8771

**KEIKI O KA‘AINA FAMILY LEARNING CENTERS**
Keiki O Ka‘a‘ina Family Learning Centers help children prepare for success in school by supporting parents as their child’s first teacher, providing educational experiences for parents and children as they play and learn together.

**Website:** www.kaia.org/parent-participation-programs/

**Email:** contact@kaia.org

**O‘ahu:** (808) 843-2502

**KEIKI STEPS**
Keiki Steps is a FREE program focused on parent-child interactive learning experiences from birth through five years of age. Adult participation is required. We are located in communities with high concentrations of Native Hawaiians but are open to all families and children within those communities, regardless of ethnicity.

**Website:** www.inpeace.org/early-childhood-education/keiki-steps/

**O‘ahu:** (808) 620-9043

**Hilo:** (808) 933-2933

**KULIAI KA NUI**
Kuliala Ka Nui (Keiki O Ka‘a‘ina) integrates Hawaiian culture, values and language and empowers parents to be their child’s first and best teacher! Parents learn how to give their child an early start on literacy, math, art, social studies, science and more.

**Website:** www.kaia.org/keiki-childrens-programs-kuliai/

**Email:** contact@kaia.org

**O‘ahu:** (808) 843-2502

**NĀ PONO NO NĀ OHANA**
Nā Pono No Nā Ohana (Partners in Development) is a comprehensive family education program. The program is located at Blanche Pope Elementary School in Waimānalo.

**Website:** www.pidfoundation.org/programs/na_pono_no_na_ohana/about

**O‘ahu:** (808) 239-0243

**TINY TOTS EARLY CHILDHOOD PROGRAMS**
City and County of Honolulu
Playgroups for young children, age varies from 18 months to 5 years old. Parent and/or guardian must remain for the entire duration of the class.

**Website:** parks.honolulu.gov/sd/home.html

**Email:** parks@honolulu.gov

**O‘ahu:**
Hawaii Kai to McCully—(808) 373-8013
Makiki to Aiea—(808) 522-7070
Pearl City to Wa‘ialua—(808) 675-7130
Waialua to Waimānalo—(808) 233-7300

**Call local parks for more information.**

**TUTU AND ME**
Tutu and Me (Partners in Development) aims to identify, recruit, and service this underserved segment of the Native Hawaiian population through an innovative traveling preschool program done in cooperation with churches and community organizations serving the Hawaiian and part Hawaiian community.

**Website:** www.pidfoundation.org/programs/tutu_and_me/about

**Email:** pid@pidfoundation.org

**O‘ahu:** (808) 324-7633

**HOME VISITING PROGRAMS**

**EARLY HEAD START (EHS)/HEAD START (HS)**
EHS and HS are federally-funded programs providing comprehensive health, education and family support and family engagement services and resources to income-eligible children, as well as children who are homeless or in the foster care system. EHS serves pregnant women, infants and toddlers and their families. HS serves preschool children and their families. Part-day programs are offered at no cost to families, and full-day programs are offered at affordable rates. Children with special needs are given priority in the Head Start/Early Head Start program.

**O‘ahu:**
Parents and Children Together (PACT)
**Website:** pacthawaii.org/early-childhood-education.html

**Email:** hs-ehs@pacthawaii.org

**Phone:** (808) 842-3996

Honolulu Community Action Program (HCAP)
**Website:** www.hcapweb.org/headstart/

**Email:** hcap@hcapweb.org

**Phone:** (808) 847-2400

**Mau:**
Mau Family Support Services, Inc. (MFSS)
**Website:** mfss.org

**Email:** keikimatters@mfss.org

**Phone:** (808) 242-0900

**Mauri:**
Mauri Economic Opportunity (MEO)
**Website:** www.moeinc.org

**Email:** es@meoinc.org

**Phone:** (808) 249-2990

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PARENTS AS TEACHERS
Parents as Teachers (PAT) empowers and supports pregnant women and families to become their child’s first teacher. Parents meet with a certified PAT educator for free regular home visits to gain knowledge in healthy births, early childhood and brain development. 
Website: www.inpreace.org/early-childhood-education/parent-as-teachers-pat-program/ 
O’ahu: (808) 620-9045
Moloka’i: (808) 560-0335.

CENTER-BASED PROGRAMS

EARLY HEAD START (EHS)/HEAD START (HS)
EHS and HS are federally-funded programs providing comprehensive health, education and family support and family engagement services and resources to income-eligible children, as well as children who are homeless or in the foster care system. EHS serves pregnant women, infants and toddlers and their families. HS serves preschool children and their families. Part-day programs are offered at no cost to families, and full-day programs are offered at affordable rates. Children with special needs are given priority in the Head Start/Early Head Start program. Please see Early Headstart/Headstart in the Home Visiting Programs section for contact information.

EXECUTIVE OFFICE ON EARLY LEARNING
The Executive Office on Early Learning (EOEL) offers Hawai’i’s first state funded Kamehameha Schools delivers high quality Hawaiian culture-based preschool education to over 1,600 3-5 year old keiki at 30 preschools statewide. The focus of the program is to promote each child’s overall well-being by addressing the child’s physical, social, emotional, cognitive, language, cultural and spiritual development through learning experiences that are grounded in the cultural values of aloha, mana’a and kuleana. 
Website: blogs.kobe.edu/ preschool/ 
O’ahu: (808) 534-8305 or Toll-Free 1-800-842-4862 ext. 48305

KEIKI OKA’INA PRESCHOOLS
Keiki O Ka’aina Preschools is NAETC and WINHEC accredited, and offers the dual language environment rich in Hawaiian culture. Literacy-driven curriculum is firmly grounded in Hawaiian values, traditions, culture and language. Children attend monthly field trips that help reinforce our educational themes. 
Preschool for ages 3-5 
Infant-Toddler Center for ages 6 months – 36 months 
Website: www.koka.org/ preschool 
Email: contact@koka.org 
O’ahu: (808) 843-2802

KEIKI STEPS TO KINDERGARTEN
Keiki Steps to Kindergarten is a FREE two or three week summer transition program offered statewide for children entering kindergarten with little or no preschool experience. This summer transition program provides an academic and social orientation for children allowing them to ensure a smooth transition into kindergarten. Programs are offered at various DOE Elementary School locations. 
Website: www.inpreace.org/ early-childhood-education/keiki-steps-to-kindergarten/ 
O’ahu: (808) 693-7222

SCHOLARSHIPS, SUBSIDIES, AND RESOURCES

PAUAHI KEIKI SCHOLARS - SCHOLARSHIP
Pauahi Keiki Scholars (PKS) is a need-based scholarship for eligible keiki who are planning to attend a participating PKS preschool in Hawai’i. Website: apps.kboe.edu/financialaid/preschool/pks/ 
O’ahu: (808) 534-8080

CHILD CARE CONNECTION HAWAI‘I - SUBSIDY
The Child Care Connection Hawai‘i (CCCH) subsidy program helps low-income families to sustain their employment, educational efforts and job training by paying a subsidy for their children who are in the care of DHS-approved child care providers. Unless child care is required for protective purposes, families must meet income and activity requirements to qualify for this subsidy program. 
Website: humanservices.hawaii.gov/bessd/child-care-program/ccch- subsidies/ 
Email: dhs@hawaii.gov 
O’ahu: (808) 793-2816

MAUNA FAMILY SUPPORT SERVICES, INC. (MFSS) - SUBSIDY
Quality Care for Hawaiian Keiki (QCCHR) QCCHR offers child care subsidy program services to Native Hawaiian families on Maui and Moloka’i. 
Website: info@maunafss.org 
Email: qcchr@maunafss.org 
Maui: (808) 793-2816